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SEN. GLASS HAS AMENDMENT TO BILL

Authorizes Purchase of Bonds the Federal Farm Loan Banks

Senator Glass, of Virginia, today had attached to the appropriate bill for the legislative, executive and judicial expenses of the government, an amendment recently presented by Senator Swanson and himself authorizing the secretary of the treasury to purchase $100,000,000, of the bonds of the federal farm loan banks during the fiscal years ending June 30 1921, and June 30 1922. The item was inserted by a vote of 9 to 2 of the committee. The same item will be carried in the agricultural appropriation bill, but, inasmuch as some apprehension is expressed about the passage of the agricultural appropriation bill, before March 4, and, as there is no doubt about the passage of the bill making appropriations for the legislative, executive and judicial expenses of the government, Senator Glass took the precaution to have the item placed in the latter bill also. In presenting the matter, the junior Virginia senator pointed out that congress had manifested a desire to do something to aid the farming industry by reviving the activities of the war finance corporation, which would not in his judgment do one particle of good. Here was an opportunity to be of real and immediate service to the farmers of the United States by reviving the activities of the farm loan land banks which have on hand $65,000,000, of applicants for loans which have been examined and approved by the farm loan board. The farm loan banks have been unable to consummate any of these loans for an entire year, owing to the fact that their activities have been suspended by litigation now pending in the United States supreme court. The inordinate delay in the decision of this case is creating the utmost indignation throughout the country and the adoption of this proposed amendment by congress will enable the farm loan system to function again immediately and tide over the distressing exigency caused by the delay of the supreme court in deciding this litigation. The farm loan banks will, of course, be required to repurchase these bonds from the government, so that the aid is really temporary and exigent

Dog Tax.

Richmond: Dog taxes for the license year ending January 31, 1920, totalled, in the counties and cities, $226,877 00, according to statistics today released by the State Department of Game and Inland Fisheries. The figures do not include reports from small incorporated towns, which are incomplete, it was explained. During the year a total of $21,374 was paid out for stock killed or injured by dogs, of which $18,478.21 was paid for sheep, $2,204 55 for fowl, and $690.25 for hogs and other stock destroyed by roaming dogs.

The statistics show that a total of 162,902 dogs were licensed in the counties and cities, with Pittsylvania county having the questionable distinction of being the home of the greatest number of canines The figures credited Pittsylvania with 4,778 dogs. Mecklenburg is the runner-up with 2,593 dogs. Accomac, Albemarle and Halifax are also in the 3000 class.

The figures complied by the Game Department, which is charged with the enforcement of the statute, credited wardens with destroying during the year nearly 7,000 dogs, or a total of about 12,000 in the two years the law has been in effect. Fines imposed for violations of the dog law during 1920 totalled about $20,000 After the payment of all expenses, including payments for stock injured by dogs, there was a balance of $111,751.95 in the hands of county and city treasurers, which, under the law, in applied to roads or schools in the counties, and for any purpose in the cities as may be directed by the council or other governing bodies Fifteen per cent of the amount collected goes to the state to be used for the payment of salaries of wardens, and other expenses incident to the enforcement of the statute.

Buckingham

The Buckingham Chapter of the Red Cross is discontinued, this was decided on at the Red Cross meeting held here on Saturday Feb. 12th. This does not by any means say that the Red Cross is a thing of the past, or that the organization has outlived its usefullness.

I know of three families that are drawing large pensions from the government and in two out of the three it is serving to encourage laziness and actual demoralization. I take it that these are no isolated cases, but that like conditions prevail to some extent in each state of the Union and men who get $57 50 to $77.50 each month will not work for wages and as a rule they will not start any enterprise of their own, and as a consequence they are no good as producers of food and materials for making wearing apparrel and yet they consume what they pay for out of the munificent pensions paid to them out of the enormous war tax that is imposed on all of us, who purchase anything that is taxable. I say that Uncle Sam should have an eye on these people and if the money so freely paid to them out of the National treasury brings about demoralization and debauchery (as it does in some instances) these people should be given notice where such is the case that if they continue this sort of life, the pension will cease.

The weather here the past week was ideal for handling tobabco and the farmers got busy and took down and shipped lots of the weed, and the handling capacity of warehouse men and buyers will be taxed for some weeks handling what is put on the market.

A large amount of revenue has been paid into the treasury as taxes on dogs, which tax was due before the 1st day of Feb. There are many more dogs in this county than sheep, many of the dogs are practically worthless and this is naturally a sheep producing country. Sheep are profitable and easily raised and there is no tax on them except by value as property. Another source of revenue is to be derived from the payment of capitation tax by women not those alone who register and vote, but each woman above 21 years has to pay this capitation tax. We used to hear about "The muddy pool of politics" when men alone could vote, and then we were told that women would come in and clarify the waters, but from present indications politics are apt to corrupt the women voters, to an extent larger than the influence she will exert in bringing about any reform. I'm taking no pessimistic view of the matter, but already I see modest and good women shirking from the exercise of their new privilege while it is possible to bring into play the vote of the mothers, wives, sisters and daughters, of men who have voted for a consideration all their lives, and whose female relatives are (in some instances) as mercenary as they are.

The Sunday School lesson published in this paper is of great interest and it is surely a grand idea for the whole country to be studying the same lesson the same day and no matter where you may chance to be on Sunday the lesson is the same. At this place nearly all the people go to Sunday School each of the churches have flourishing Sunday schools and pupils and teachers seem to delight in coming.

Mr. John E. Pearson has been somewhat better of late though he has not been going out any yet.

Judge A. S. Hall is still in Atlanta under treatment and we are told that he is improving.

Mr. G. M. Rogers the junior member of the law firm of Hall and Rogers is an energetic young attorney and is at present attending to the business of the firm here.

Circuit Court on March 15th is looked forward to with interest by all classes, as "Cote" day is the one time when there is a general meeting of the county people to swap ideas, swap horses and attend to much of the real business of life.

"Eat an apple a day and keep the doctor away" is an old saying, but good fruit has been scarce. I ate some good Albemarle Pippins bought at Curdsville and Mr. Garnett said they cost $8 a barrell, but my, they were so nice and large.

There seems to be little or nothing doing in the real estate business and men are not so anxious to buy farm property and raise prodoce when the prices are lower than the cost of production.

Men are still advertising blooded stock at high prices. I saw a hog offered for sale at $450 that only weighed 450 pounds and the best offer we have here for dressed pork is 13½ cents a pound.

The cattle market has gone to pieces and veals have gone down. There is sure to be a reaction however, and supply and demand will regulate prices.

D F Burnett and Company, of Lynchburg, will begin work at once on a concrete bridge over Norris creek in Buckingham county, the contract for which has just been awarded to them. The work is a part of state highway project 89. The contractors expect to complete the job within 60 days at a probable cost of $10,000.

Tobacco Farmers

This county is among the first called upon to go over the top in this campaign for signatures to the Tobacco Growrs' Marketing Association and contract.

This contrrct has been well named the Tobacco Growers Declaration of Independence. It has secured both independence and prosperity for fourteen other associations of American farmers. It is based upon previous success and experience in placing the profits of speculators and middlemen directly in the hands of the farmer by securing for him this profit through combind marketing of his own product.

For tobacco growers who wish to help the sale of their product by a marketing organization of proved success, to replace the present system of speculation and lose, the time has come for action

For those who wish to act the contract is ready for signature. No contract will be binding until fifty per cent or approximately 70,000 of the tobacco growers of Virginia, North Carolina and Soutn Carolina have signed.

Under no circumstances will those growers who sign this contract to save the tobacco industry of our section, be sacrificed by the ignorance or cowardice of others who refuse to sign.

Until a majority of tobacco of three states can be pooled and handled by the growers of Virginia and the Carolinas, no group of public spirited men will be crucified in their effort to save the tobacco industry because individual slackers are content to submit to the present evil conditions

The contract of the Tobacco Growers' Marketing Association has been repeatedly approved at crowded mass meetings throughout the bright, the dark and the sun cured belts of Virginia.

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Using present markets, warehouses and warehousemen wherever possible, the tobacco growers propose that the present profits of speculator and middleman shall go direct to the farmer where one gigantic marketing association in three states shall deal direct with manufacturer and tobacco company.

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Those tobacco counties of the old belt of Virginia where the campaign for better markets is being launched, are expected to go far over the top.

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T L Wilkerson ..... Plaintiff
against
Bernice Wilkerson ..... Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony upon the grounds of abandonment and desertion, in conformity with Chapter 99 of the Acts of Assembly of Virginia, 1918, as amended by section 5108 of the Code of Virginia, 16.9

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Bernice Wilkerson, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear here within ten days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in the suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in the Times Virginian, a newspaper published in the county of Appomattox, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this county on the 3rd day of January, 1921, that being the next succeeding rule day after this order was entered

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"There is no change in the present Ford car and truck prices, which are already at the lowest possible figure and now with rock bottom reached on the tractor price a further reduction in price of either the Car Truck or Tractor is out of the question, in fact, the big price cuts have been made in anticipation of continuous maximum production and increases may be necessary before long if a large volume of new business is not obtained. Therefore, present prices of Ford products cannot be guaranteed against possible increase"

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